

Event: *Effective Literacy and English Language Instruction for English Learners in the Elementary Grades: Bridging the Gap between Research and Practice (1.2.153)*

Location: Pennsylvania Training and Technical Assistance Network (PaTTAN), 200 Anderson Road, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Date: January 20, 2011

Agenda:

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM: Registration Confirmation/Check-In

9:00 AM – 9:15 AM: Overview of REL Mid-Atlantic

Peter Grande, REL Mid-Atlantic

9:15 AM – 9:30 AM: Practice Guide Overview/Rationale and Review of Levels of Evidence

Brad Zdenek, REL Mid-Atlantic

9:30 AM – 11:00 AM: Effective Literacy and English Language Instruction for English Learners in the Elementary Grades

Russell Gersten, Instructional Research Group

Scott Baker, Pacific Institutes for Research

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM: Question/Answer with Drs. Gersten and Baker

12:00 PM- 12:45 PM: Networking Lunch with Drs. Gersten and Baker (Lunch provided by the Pennsylvania Department of Education)

12:45 PM – 1:00 PM: Preparation for the Afternoon Program Activities

Peter Grande, REL Mid-Atlantic

1:00 PM – 1:45 PM: Panel of Practitioners

Moderated by **Vito Forlenza**, REL Mid-Atlantic

1:45 PM – 2:30 PM: Small Group Discussion

Facilitated by REL Mid-Atlantic LES and Drs. Gersten and Baker

2:30 PM – 3:00 PM: Large Group Report Out

Facilitated by **Peter Grande**, REL Mid-Atlantic

3:00 PM- 3:15 PM: Where Do We Go From Here?

Peter Grande, REL Mid-Atlantic